In the Specification:

On page 1, line 5, please delete "which is a continuation" and substitute the following therefore -- filed under U.S.C., Title 35, §120 and C.F.R., Title 37, §§1.53(b) and 1.78 and is continuation of U.S. Patent Application, Serial No. 08/814,974 filed on March 6, 1997, which is a continuation-in-part--

Remarks

It is respectfully submitted that all currently pending claims are patentably distinct over the disclosures of record and that the above-identified application for U.S. patent is in condition for allowance and early passage of this patent application to issuance is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted.

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